## Case 13-02315 Filed 11/20/14 Doc 231 3 MARC A. LEVINSON (STATE BAR NO. 57613) 1 malevinson@orrick.com NORMAN C. HILE (STATE BAR NO. 57299) 2 nhile@orrick.com ORRICK, HERRINGTON & SUTCLIFFE LLP 3 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 3000 Sacramento, California 95814-4497 4 Telephone: +1-916-447-9200 Facsimile: +1-916-329-4900 5 JEFFERY D. HERMANN (STATE BAR NO. 90445) 6 jhermann@orrick.com JOHN A. FARMER (STATE BAR NO. 242775) 7 jfarmer@orrick.com ORRICK, HERRINGTON & SUTCLIFFE LLP 8 777 South Figueroa Street, Suite 3200 Los Angeles, California 90017-5855 9 Telephone: +1-213-629-2020 Facsimile: +1-213-612-2499 10 Attorneys for Defendant 11 City of Stockton, California 12 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT 13 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 14 SACRAMENTO DIVISION 15 16 In re: Case No. 12-32118 17 Chapter 9 CITY OF STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA, 18 Adv. No. 13-02315 Debtor. 19 WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL 20 **JUDGMENT** ASSOCIATION, FRANKLIN HIGH YIELD TAX-FREE INCOME FUND, AND 21 FRANKLIN CALIFORNIA HIGH YIELD MUNICIPAL FUND 22 Plaintiffs, 23 v. 24 CITY OF STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA, 25 Defendant. 26 27 28

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1	Plaintiffs Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as indenture trustee for the
2	\$35,080,000 Stockton Public Financing Authority Lease Revenue Bonds, 2009 Series A, Franklin
3	High Yield Tax-Free Income Fund and Franklin California High Yield Municipal Fund
4	(collectively, "Plaintiffs") filed a Complaint for Declaratory Relief (the "Complaint") on October
5	14, 2013 [Adv. Dkt. No. 1] against the City of Stockton, California ("City"), debtor in the above-
6	captioned case and defendant in the above-captioned adversary proceeding. <sup>1</sup>
7	On March 27, 2014, the City filed its Motion for Judgment to Be Entered in Favor of
8	Plaintiffs [Adv. Dkt. No. 28].
9	On April 21, 2014, the Court entered a Partial Judgment in Favor of Plaintiffs [Adv. Dkt.
10	No. 56] ("Partial Judgment"), which disposed of Counts One and Five of the Complaint.
11	Pursuant to Paragraph 6 of the Partial Judgment, Counts Two, Three and Four of the
12	Complaint (the "Remaining Counts") were tried in conjunction with the evidentiary hearing
13	conducted on Franklin's objections to confirmation of the Plan. The evidentiary hearing was
14	conducted on May 12 through 15, and June 4, 2014.
15	The Court orally rendered its decision on the Remaining Counts at a hearing on July 8,
16	2014, making oral findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to Rule 7052. To the extent
17	any of those findings of fact constitute conclusions of law, they are adopted as such. To the
18	extent any of those conclusions of law constitute findings of fact, they are adopted as such.
19	Having considered the various pleadings filed in this adversary proceeding, having heard
20	the testimony adduced and the evidence presented at the evidentiary hearing, having heard the
21	arguments of counsel, and having made its findings of fact and conclusions of law at the July 8,
22	2014, hearing, the Court determines that it is appropriate to enter judgment on the Remaining
23	Counts in the form, content and manner set forth herein.
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27	Unless otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms used herein shall have the meaning ascribed to such terms in the

First Amended Plan for the Adjustment of Debts of City of Stockton, California, As Modified (August 8, 2014) [Dkt.

No. 1645] (the "Plan"). References to "Rules" shall refer to the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure.

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- 2 - JUDGMENT

1 Based on the foregoing, 2 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT: 3 4 the 5 Go 6 Co 7 pe 8 Course/Park Properties through July 1, 2053 (the "Collateral"). 9 2. 10 11 12 13 14 15 3. 16 4. 17 Dated: November 20, 2014 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27

1. On Counts Two and Three of the Complaint, and pursuant to the Partial Judgment,
e Golf Course/Park Claims are Allowed in the aggregate amount of \$36,603,626. The Allowed
olf Course/Park Claims consist of the Golf Course/Park Secured Claim and the Golf
ourse/Park Unsecured Claim. The Golf Course/Park Secured Claim is secured by a valid,
erfected and enforceable security interest in and lien on the possessory interest in the Golf

- On Count Four of the Complaint, the value of the Collateral is \$4,052,000, with the following component values: (a) possessory interest in the Swenson Golf Course: \$1,572,500; (b) possessory interest in the Van Buskirk Golf Course: \$658,750; (c) possessory interest in the Van Buskirk Community Center: \$1,600,000; and (d) possessory interest in Oak Park: \$221,000. Accordingly, the Allowed amount of the Golf Course/Park Secured Claim is \$4,052,000, and the Allowed amount of the Golf Course/Park Unsecured Claim is \$32,551,626.
  - The Partial Judgment remains in full force and effect.
  - The parties shall bear their own costs.

United States Bankruptcy Judge

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